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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Customer No.

MITSUMOTO et al.

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Serial No. 09/828,093

Group Art Unit: 1764

Filed: April 6, 2001

Examiner: Virginia MANOHARAN

Title: METHOD FOR PRODUCTION OF EASILY POLYMERIZABLE SUBSTANCE AND PURIFICATION APPARATUS

Confirmation No. 5491

Mail Stop AF
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450

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## **AMENDMENT PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.116**

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 18, 2006 and Advisory Action dated October 6, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows: